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1. This application entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ESTABLISHING NETWORK CONNECTION WITH UNKNOWN NETWORK AND/OR USER DEVICE is:
- a. ☒ A new application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).
- b. ☐ A ☐ continuation ☐ divisional or ☐ continuation-in-part application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of prior application Serial No. / filed on , entitled .

Application elements and other attached papers:

2. ☒ Specification (including Claims and Abstract) [Total Pages 33]
3. ☒ Drawings (☐ informal / ☒ formal) [Total Sheets 10]
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration (unsigned)
- a. ☐ Newly-executed
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))
5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Item 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)(4).
- a. ☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

- b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.

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12. Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application

☐ A request for extension of time and the appropriate fee have been filed in the pending prior application (or are being filed in the prior application concurrently herewith) to extend the period for response until _____.

13. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is attached, along with the following indicated attachments thereto:

a. ☒ Form PTO/SB/08 (1 sheet)

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14. ☐ Certified copy of priority document(s)

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16. ☐ Other: _____

17. ☐ An Assignment of the invention to _____

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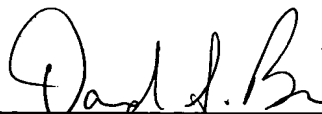
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